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FACT SHEET

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OHIO ENVIRONMENTAL INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAM

Section 594 of the Water Resources Development Act (WRDA) of 1999

Appropriation Category: Construction General (CG)

Congressional Interests:

All OH Representatives

Senator Rob Portman R-OH

Senator Sherrod Brown D-OH

Project Description: Section 594 of the WRDA 1999 authorizes the Corps of Engineers to provide assistance to non-Federal interests in Ohio in the form of design and construction support or reimbursement for design and construction of water and wastewater treatment facilities, combined sewer overflows, water supply/storage treatment, mine drainage, environmental restoration and surface water protection.

Project Capabilities: Congress authorized up to \$240,000,000 for the implementation of this authority. As of FY13, approximately \$105,800,000 has been appropriated. All projects are congressionally named under this program. The cost share for projects implemented under this authority is 75% Federal and 25% non-Federal. Huntington, Buffalo, Pittsburgh, and Louisville Districts are responsible for the implementation of the Section 594 Program.

Current Status: As of January 2014, no additional projects have been congressionally named under the Section 594 program. All outstanding Project Partnership Agreements (PPAs) were completed and executed in FY11. The Buffalo District presently provides proactive and responsive project management for six individual projects in Ohio.

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